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CONTAINER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

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Cancel claims 1-29 and add the following new claims:

--30. (new) A container comprising a base, a plurality of side walls and a top, at least some of the side walls having ducts therein through which gas can flow.

--31. (new) A container as claimed in claim 30 wherein four side walls are provided.

--32. (new) A container as claimed in claim 31 wherein at least two side walls include such ducts.